

MEMORANDUM

TO: Annette Riley, Manager, Project Management Group

FROM: Dallas Hammit, Deputy Director for Transportation/State Engineer 9

CC: Steve Boschen, Intermodel Transportation Division,

DATE: September 21, 2015

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- Highway and Traffic Safety
- Historical, Archaeological, and Cultural Preservation
- Earthwork Design Best Management Practices

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